

**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION
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| Application Number | 10/047,440 |
| Filing Date | January 14, 2002 |
| First Named Inventor | Brown |
| Art Unit | 1754 |
| Examiner Name | Steven J. BOS |
| Attorney Docket Number | 542286CON(3600-226-01) |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114**a. ☐ Previously submittedi. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on _____
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____iii. ☐ Other _____b. ☒ Enclosedi. ☐ Amendment/Replyiii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)iv. ☐ Other _____2. **Miscellaneous**a. ☒ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of 2 months because Applicants are awaiting English translations of Information Disclosure Statement documents attached. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)b. ☐ Other _____3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 03-0060i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) 06/10/2004 DEMMANU1 00000001 030060 10047440ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) 01 FC:1801 770.00 DAiii. ☐ Other 02 FC:1460 130.00 DAb. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosedc. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.****SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED**

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| Signature | | Date | June 8, 2004 |

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